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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Attorney Docket Number 13546US02

In re Application of:)
Benzer et al.) Express Mail Label No. EV 726716168 US
Serial No.: 10/664,379) Date: May 16, 2006
Filing Date: September 17, 2003)
For: MULTI-LEVEL/SINGLE ENDED)
INPUT LEVEL SHIFTER CIRCUIT)
Examiner: Long T. Nguyen)
Confirmation No.: 4562)
Art Unit No. 2816)

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2006. Applicants note that in the Office Action the Examiner rejected claims 9-24. Claims 9, 16, and 20 are amended. It is respectfully submitted that pending claims 9-24 define allowable subject matter.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

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